390P4788 Patent Attorney's In Re'the Application of: Hobbs et al. (inventor(s)) Application No.: <u>08/992,222</u> Filed: December 17, 1997 JUN 2 & 2001 Method and Apparatus for Testing a Bus Using Bus Specific Instructions (title) Technology Center 2100 Group Art Unit: 2155 Examiner: Wiley, D. NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES STANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Washington, D.C. 20231 Sir: Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated March 28, 2001 of the Examiner rejecting claims 1, 3-24 and 29-33 The item(s) checked below are appropriate: XXX The following is the Notice of Appeal fee under 37 C.F.R § 1.17(b): X a. other than small entity: fee \$ 310.00 b. small entity: fee \$ 155.00 verified statement attached verified statement was filed A petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for an extension of time for reply to the rejection is enclosed along with a check for the fee for the extension of time. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$ 310.00 for the Notice of Appeal fee. I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage in an envelope addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 June 21, 2001 Date of Deposit Krista Mathieson Name of Person Mailing Correspondence June 21, 2001 Signature Date 06/28/2001 GTEFFERA 00000106 08992222 310.00 OP

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